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Attorney Docket No.: SALK2350

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Gage, et al.

Application No.: 09/421,971

Filed: October 20, 1999

For: HORMONE RECEPTOR  
FUNCTIONAL DIMERS AND  
METHODS OF THEIR USE

) Group Art Unit: 1615

) Examiner: Unassigned

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed November 5, 1999,  
enclosed are:

1. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts;
2. An executed Declaration for Patent Application for the above-identified U.S. Patent Application;
3. An executed Power of Attorney by Assignee for the above-identified U.S. Patent Application;
4. One (1) Recordation Form Cover Sheet and one (1) executed Assignment for the above-identified U.S. Patent Application; and
5. A Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status.

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The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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					Small Entity	Other Entity	Small Entity	Other Entity
Total Claims	60	=	40	X	\$9	\$18	=	\$360.00
Independent Claims	1	=	0	X	\$39	\$78	=	\$000.00
Multiple Dependent Claims Presented: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No					\$130	\$260		0
					BASIC FEE		\$380.00	\$ .00
					TOTAL FEE		\$740.00	\$ 0.00


X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the TOTAL FEE of \$845.00; \$380.00 for the filing fee, \$360.00 for additional claims, \$65.00 surcharge fee for missing parts of the application, and \$40.00 recordation fee for one (1) assignment, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1895. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal Letter is enclosed.

X Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

X Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 1/5/00

  
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**REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT**

Sir:

This Communication is submitted to request correction of the filing receipt in reference to the above-identified application. The data requiring correction is indicated in yellow on the attached copy of the filing receipt and herein in **BOLD**.

The following correction is requested for the title of the invention:  
please replace "ENTITIES" with **--DIMERS--**.

Applicants accordingly request the correction be made of record.

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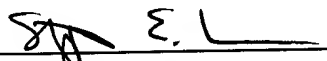
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No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this communication. However, if any fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 07-1895. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" ("Missing Parts Notice") in this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the "Missing Parts Notice." When the PTO processes the reply to the "Missing Parts Notice," the PTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

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TITLE  
HORMONE RECEPTOR FUNCTIONAL ENTITIES AND METHODS OF THEIR USE

PRELIMINARY CLASS: 424

DATA ENTRY BY: THOMAS, SHEILA

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**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

**Filing Date Granted**

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE** within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the **SURCHARGE** set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of ☐ \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or ☒ \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a  
☐ small entity (statement filed) ☒ non-small entity is \$ 760.00.

☒ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

- ☒ missing.  
☐ insufficient.

Applicant must submit \$ 760.00 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

☐ 2. The following additional claims fees are due:

\$ 730.00 for 40 total claims over 20.  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ independent claims over 3.  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

☐ 3. The oath or declaration:

- ☒ is missing or unsigned.  
☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

☐ 8. The application was filed in a language other than English.

Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

☐ 9. OTHER:

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